

## General Assembly

Committee Bill No. 6776

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Referred to Committee on Environment

Introduced by: (ENV)

## AN ACT CONCERNING REAL ESTATE PROPERTY TAXES AND WATERFRONT PROPERTY OWNED BY COMMERCIAL LOBSTER FISHERMEN.

Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representatives in General Assembly convened:

- 1 Section 1. Section 12-81 of the general statutes is amended by adding
- 2 subdivision (77) as follows (Effective July 1, 2007):
- 3 (NEW) (77) Real waterfront property owned by full-time
- 4 commercial lobster fishermen, when such real property is used
- 5 exclusively by such lobster fishermen for commercial fishing purposes.

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following
sections:

Section 1	July 1, 2007	12-81

## Statement of Purpose:

To help preserve Connecticut's lobster fishing industry.

[Proposed deletions are enclosed in brackets. Proposed additions are indicated by underline, except that when the entire text of a bill or resolution or a section of a bill or resolution is new, it is not underlined.]

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